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EXAMINING GROUP 2613

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Applicants: Hall et al.

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Title: ADAPTIVELY ENCODING A PICTURE OF CONTRASTED
COMPLEXITY HAVING NORMAL VIDEO AND NOISY VIDEO
PORTIONS

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initially due on or before June 25, 2002 and thus, this
Response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of
the application are respectfully requested in view of the
Remarks below.

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